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PART II-A

Notifications relating to Minor Administrations

CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN.

NOTIFICATION

Quetta, the 19th May, 1947.

No. 15-VEG/47.—In exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. PY-603-(2), dated the 21st October, 1946, with the previous concurrence of the Central Government and in supersession of his Notification No. 15-P & O/45, dated the 28th August, 1945, the Chief Commissioner is pleased, under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946) as applied to British Baluchistan by virtue of the Government of India, External Affairs Department, Notification No. 341-BPG, dated the 28th November, 1946, to make the following Order, namely :—

1. (1) This Order may be called the British Baluchistan Potatoes and Onions Control Order, 1947.

(2) It extends to the whole of British Baluchistan.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. In this Order, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context :—

(a) "Potatoes" includes potato seed,

(b) "Form" means a form as set forth in the Schedule of this order,

(c) "Purchase in wholesale quantities" in respect of either potatoes or onions means purchase from any one person on any one day in quantities exceeding 10 Mds.

(d) "Sale in wholesale quantities" in respect of either potatoes or onions means sale to any one person on any one day in quantities exceeding the quantity specified under sub clause (c).

(e) "Storage for sale in wholesale quantities", means storage in quantities exceeding 50

maunds for purposes of sale and includes storage by any person on behalf of another as a commission agent or any arhatiya and storage by an employer for the purposes of supplies on payment or otherwise to any of his employees.

(f) "Sale in retail quantities" means sale in quantities not exceeding the quantity specified under sub clause (c).

3. (1) No person shall engage in any undertaking which involves purchase, sale or storage for sale in wholesale quantities of potatoes and onions except under and in accordance with a license issued in that behalf by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

(2) No person shall engage in any undertaking which involves the sale or storage for sale in retail quantities of potatoes and onions except under and in accordance with a license issued in that behalf by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

(3) The Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan may refuse to issue a license to any person.

4. Licenses issued under this order shall be in Forms A and B and shall specify :—

(a) Whether the licensee may operate as a wholesale or as a retail dealer.

(b) The commodity in which the licensee may deal.

(c) The place or places at which the licensee may carry on the licensed undertaking.

5. Applications for licenses under this order shall be made to the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

6. (1) The Chief Commissioner or the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan may at any time, whether at the request of the person to whom a license has been issued on *suo motu*, after making such enquiry as may be deemed necessary suspend or rescind the license issued under this Order.

(2) No person being the holder of a license issued, or deemed to be issued, under this Order shall contravene any of the conditions mentioned in Form A or B, as the case may be, and if any such person contravenes any of the said conditions then without prejudice to any other action that may be taken against him his license may be cancelled under sub clause (1) above.

7. The Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan or any other officer authorised by him in this behalf may enter upon and inspect any premises in which he has reason to believe that the purchase, sale or storage for sale in wholesale quantities or sale or storage for sale in retail quantities of potatoes or onions is taking place contrary to the provisions of this order.

Provided that in exercising the power of entry and inspection due regard shall be paid by such officer to the social and religious customs of the occupants of the premises.

8. Except in such areas as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time notify in the official Gazette nothing in this order shall apply to the sale or storage for sale by any person of potatoes and onions produced by himself or by his tenant.

THE SCHEDULE

FORM A

(See Clause 4)

The British Baluchistan Potatoes and Onions Control Order, 1947.

License for the purchase, sale or storage for sale, in wholesale quantities of Potatoes and Onions.

(FREE OF ALL FEE).

1. Subject to the provisions of the British Baluchistan Potatoes and Onions Control Order 1947 and to the terms and conditions of this License, _____ is/are hereby authorised to purchase, sell or store for sale in wholesale quantities all or either of the under-mentioned commodities :

2. The licensee shall carry on the aforesaid business at the following place(s) :—

3. The licensee shall maintain such registers and accounts and shall submit returns as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

4. The licensee shall prominently display at each of the places mentioned in paragraph 2 a correct list written in Urdu of the prices of the commodities in which he deals.

5. The licensee shall give all facilities at reasonable times to the Director of Food Supplies or any Officer authorised by him for the inspection of the stocks and accounts at any shop, godown or other place used by him for the storage or sale of the commodities mentioned in paragraph 1 and for taking of the samples of such commodities for examination.

6. The licensee shall comply with any directions that may be given to him by the Officer

issuing the license in regard to the purchase, sale or storage for sale of any of the controlled articles mentioned in paragraph 1.

7. The licensee shall not unless specially authorised by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan sell in retail quantities any of the Controlled articles.

8. A cash or credit memo as the case may be shall be issued in such form as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan by the licensee for every transaction. The original shall be handed over to the customer whether he asks for it or not and a duplicate copy kept by the licensee.

9. This license is valid for a period of one year from the date of issue.

Signature of the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

Dated the

1947.

Note.—The licensee's attention is drawn to clause 6 of the Potatoes and Onions Control Order, 1947 which reads :—

(1) The Chief Commissioner or the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan may at any time, whether at the request of the person to whom a licence has been issued or *suo motu*, after making such inquiry as may be deemed necessary, suspend or rescind the licence issued under this order.

(2) No person being the holder of a license issued, or deemed to be issued, under this Order shall contravene any of the conditions mentioned in Form A and if any such person contravenes any of the said conditions then without prejudice to any other action that may be taken against him his license may be cancelled under sub clause (1) above.

FORM B.

(See Clause 4).

The British Baluchistan Potatoes and Onions Control Order 1947.

License for sale or storage for sale, in retail quantities of potatoes and onions.

(Free of all fee).

1. Subject to the provisions of the British Baluchistan Potatoes and Onions Control Order 1947 and to the terms and conditions of this license.

is/are hereby authorised to sell or store for sale in retail quantities all or either of the undermentioned commodities :—

2. The licensee shall carry on the aforesaid business at the following place(s) :—

3. The licensee shall maintain such registers and accounts and shall submit such returns as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

4. The licensee shall prominently display at each of the places mentioned in paragraph 2 a correct list written in Urdu of the prices of the commodities in which he deals.

5. The licensee shall give all facilities at all reasonable times to the Director of Food Supplies or any officer authorised by him for the inspection of the stocks and accounts at any shop, godown or other places used by him for the storage or sale of the commodities mentioned in paragraph 1 and for taking of the samples of such commodities for examination.

6. The licensee shall comply with any directions that may be given to him by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan in regard to the sale or storage for sale, of any of the controlled articles mentioned in paragraph 1.

7. A cash or credit memo as the case may be shall be issued on such form as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan if the customer asks for it and if the value of the transaction is more than Re. 1. No cash or credit memo may be issued if the value of the transaction is Re. 1 or less.

8. This license is valid for a period of one year from the date of issue.

Signature of the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

Dated 1947.

Note :—The licensee's attention is drawn to clause 6 of the British Baluchistan Potatoes and Onions Control Order, 1947, which reads :—

(1) The Chief Commissioner or the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan may at any time whether at the request of the person to whom a license has been issued or *suo motu*, after making such inquiry as may be deemed necessary, suspend or rescind the license issued under this order.

(2) No person being the holder of a license issued, or deemed to be issued under this Order shall contravene any of the conditions mentioned in Form B and if any such person contravenes any of the said conditions, then without prejudice to any other action that may be taken against him his license may be cancelled under sub clause (1) above.

By order,
K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 21st May 1947

No. 554-FS/47.—In exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. Py-603-(2)I, dated 21st October 1946, with the previous concurrence of the Central Government and in supersession of the British Baluchistan Rationing Order 1944, issued under his No. 13-FS/44, dated the 28th July 1944, as subsequently amended from time to time, the Chief Commissioner is pleased, under Section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946), as applied to British Baluchistan by virtue of the Government of India, External Affairs Department Notification No. 341-BPG, dated the 28th November 1946, to make the following Order, namely :—

1. (1) This Order may be called the British Baluchistan Rationing Order 1947.

(2) It extends to the whole of British Baluchistan.

(3) It shall come into force in any local area on such date as the Chief Commissioner may by notification in the Gazette of India fix in this behalf.

2. In this Order, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context :—

(1) " authorised wholesale distributor " means a wholesale dealer authorised under the provisions of clause 3 and shall include a person in charge of a godown appertaining to a rationed article and under the control of the Crown ;

(2) " authorised retail distributor " means a retail dealer authorised under the provisions of clause 3 and shall include a person in charge of a shop appertaining to a rationed article and under the control of the Crown ;

(3) " authorised establishment " means a person in charge of an establishment authorised under the provisions of clause 3 and shall include a person in charge of an establishment under the control of the Crown ;

(4) (a) " establishments " means catering establishments, institutions, residential establishments, manufacturing establishments, mills, industries, animal establishments and any other establishment or class of establishments which the Chief Commissioner or an Officer authorised by him under sub-clause (1) of clause 3, may declare to be an establishment for purposes of this order.

(b) (i) " catering establishments " includes hotels, restaurants, eating houses, cafes, tea shops, coffee stalls, free feeding centres and every other place of refreshment open to the public, clubs, canteens and other similar establishments ;

(ii) " institutions " includes hospitals, sanatoria, convalescent homes, nursing homes, work-houses, infirmaries, asylums, orphanages, boarding schools (providing meals for day-boarders) and other similar establishments ;

(iii) " residential establishments " shall not include private households but shall include boarding houses, apartment houses, residential hotels, hostels, nurses homes, boarding schools (without any day-boarders) and other similar establishments.

(iv) " manufacturing establishments " includes bakeries, confectionaries, and other similar establishments,

(v) " mills " includes flour mills, provender mills and other similar establishments,

(vi) " industries " means undertakings requiring the use of any rationed article specified in this behalf, in the process of production, manufacture or finish of any article whether or not a rationed article ;

(vii) " animal establishments " includes stables for horses or cattle, poultry farms, Zoos, Menageries, Pinjra Poles, veterinary hospitals and other similar establishments ;

(5) "establishment consumption" means all consumption of rationed articles by an establishment on the premises of the establishment or elsewhere ;

(6) "household consumption" means all consumption of rationed articles other than establishment consumption ;

(7) "rationed article" means any article which the Chief Commissioner may by notification in respect of any area specify in this behalf ;

(8) "rationing date" means in relation to any rationed article such date as may be fixed by the Chief Commissioner in respect of any area for commencement of rationing of the article in that area ; and

(9) "ration document" includes a ration book, a ration card or any part of any ration book or ration card or any ration coupon or any declaration, authority, permit, or other document issued or made by or under the provisions of this Order.

3. (1) The Chief Commissioner or any officer authorised by the Chief Commissioner in respect of any area in this behalf may issue an authorisation to any person to act as a wholesale dealer or retail dealer or to have charge of an establishment for supplying or issuing any rationed article in such area in accordance with the provisions prescribed by or under this Order and such authorisation shall specify the rationed article in respect of which it is issued.

(2) The Chief Commissioner or the authorised officer may at any time whether at the request of the person to whom an authorisation has been issued or *suo motu*, after making such inquiry as may be deemed necessary, add to, amend, vary or rescind the authorisation issued under clause 3(1).

(3) Any persons to whom an authorisation has been issued under sub-section (1) above shall properly keep and correctly distribute, supply or issue all rationed articles entrusted to him for the purpose, and shall maintain a true and correct record of the receipt and issue of all such articles, in the manner, and in the form, prescribed by the Controller of Rationing.

(a) No persons authorised under sub-section (1) above, shall have, in his possession or under his control, at any time after the rationing date, any rationed article, in excess of or less than the quantity of such article as per record referred to in sub-section (3) above.

4. No person other than an authorised wholesale distributor, an authorised retail distributor or an authorised establishment, shall on and after the rationing date, supply or offer or attempt to supply to any person any rationed article.

5. No authorised wholesale distributor, authorised retail distributor or authorised establishment shall, on or after the rationing date, supply or offer or attempt to supply any rationed article to any person except under and in accordance with the provisions prescribed by or under this Order.

6. No person shall, on and after the rationing date, obtain or attempt to obtain any rationed article except for household consumption, for establishment consumption or for the purposes of an establishment, other than establishment consumption or in connection therewith and except under and in accordance with the provisions prescribed by or under this Order.

7. The foregoing provisions shall not apply to distribution by any person of any rationed article lawfully obtained by him :—

(a) to members of the same household or to guests sharing meals in such household ; or

(b) to any other person either without payment of price of such rationed article or in exchange for any other rationed article.

8. Except as otherwise provided by this Order, a rationed article shall be obtained, on hand after the rationing date, only by means of a ration document available for lawful use and lawfully used, and only upto the quantity in relation to that article as specified or as represented by the units specified on the ration document.

9. (1) The Chief Commissioner may issue or may authorise any Officer to issue to any person or class of persons or to the public generally in any area ration documents for the purposes of rationing of such article ;

Provided that no ration document shall be delivered to any person unless such person or any adult member of his family to whom the document is tendered on his behalf makes his signature or thumb impression in token of receipt of such document as required by the officer delivering such document.

(2) The Chief Commissioner or any officer authorised by him in respect of any area in this behalf may, at any time whether at the request of the person to whom any ration document has been issued or *suo motu*, after making such inquiry as may be deemed necessary, add to, amend vary or rescind the ration document. Where any ration document is rescinded any person in possession of it shall forthwith deliver the same to the Chief Commissioner or the authorised officer, as the case may be.

10. The Chief Commissioner may in respect of any area make regulations providing for :—

(a) the conditions subject to which any rationed article may be supplied or obtained for household consumption, for establishment consumption or for the purposes of an establishment other than establishment consumption or in connection therewith, and

(b) in particular

(i) the kind of ration document which may be issued for each such purpose ;

(ii) the manner in which such ration document may be used for supplying or obtaining any rationed article including the manner in which and the conditions subject to which such document may be registered with any authorised wholesale distributor, authorised retail distributor or authorised establishment ;

(iii) the period for which any ration document or part thereof shall be valid ;

(iv) the number of units allotted to any person, class of persons or to the public generally ;

(v) the quantity which a unit shall represent in relation to any rationed article, whether separately for that article or in combination with other articles ;

(vi) the conditions subject to which the authorised wholesale distributor, authorised retail distributor or authorised establishment may obtain and supply any rationed article ; and

(vii) any other matter connected with the distribution of any rationed article.

11. (a) A ration document shall be available for lawful use only when it is used by or on behalf of the person in respect of whom it is issued.

(b) Every ration document shall be the property of the Chief Commissioner, but the person to whom it is issued or surrendered, or with whom it is retained under the provisions of this Order or the regulations made under this Order, shall be entitled to its custody and shall be responsible for its safe custody.

12. If any ration document be defaced, lost or destroyed the officer authorised by the Chief Commissioner in respect of any area in this behalf may after making such inquiry as he may think fit issue a new ration document in place thereof on payment of a fee of two annas. Every person to whom a new ration document has been issued shall, if he subsequently finds the lost ration document forthwith return the later document to the said officer.

13. No person shall transfer to any other person a ration document issued to himself.

14. When any person is in possession of a ration document and such possession is not authorised by virtue of this Order, he shall forthwith deliver the same to the officer in charge of the nearest ration office.

15. In any case where any ration coupon or other ration document is required to be cancelled under or for the purposes of this Order, it shall not be deemed to be cancelled unless it shall have been effectively cancelled in ink (whether by means of a die or stamp or otherwise) or by means of indelible pencil and shall upon such cancellation cease to be available for lawful use.

16. Any Officer authorised by the Chief Commissioner in respect of any area in this behalf may at all reasonable times inspect any stocks of rationed articles, any ration documents, or any books, accounts or other document pertaining to dealings in any rationed articles, and may for the purpose of such inspection or for the purpose of effective exercise of any other power conferred by or in pursuance of this order :—

(a) enter any premises : Provided that in exercising the power of entry, due regard shall be paid by such officer to the social and religious customs of the occupants of the premises ;

(b) ask of any person all necessary questions ; and.

(c) require the production of any document.

(2) Every person, when so required by such officer under sub-clause (1) shall allow access to premises, answer all questions to the best of his knowledge and belief, and produce the documents in his possession.

17. Every authorised wholesale distributor, authorised retail distributor or authorised establishment as the case may be, shall, when so required by any officer authorised by the Chief Commissioner in this behalf,

(a) deliver to such officer all coupons and other authorities and documents surrendered to him under or for the purposes of this Order ; and

(b) furnish such particulars relating to his dealings in and stocks of any rationed article as may be required.

18. Notwithstanding any provisions of this Order, the Chief Commissioner or any officer authorised by him may subject to such conditions as may be prescribed authorise distribution of any rationed article otherwise than on a ration document, and whether or not for household consumption or establishment consumption or for the purposes of an establishment other than establishment consumption.

19. The Chief Commissioner may exempt any person or class of persons from the operation of all or any of the provisions of this Order and may at any time suspend or cancel such exemption.

By order,

K. SHAH ZAMAN,

Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 28th April 1947

No. 5-FS/47(i).—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject and in exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food Notification No. PY-603(2)I, dated 21st October 1946, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased, under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act 1946 (XXIV of 1946), to prohibit the transport of (1) sugar of all kinds, (2) gur and shakkar and (3) salt, from British Baluchistan to an Indian State in Baluchistan except under a permit to be issued by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan or by any officer authorised by him in this behalf and on payment of such fees as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

Provided that this prohibition shall not apply to the transport of these commodities, by a *bona fide* traveller, as part of his luggage for the personal use of himself and other members of his family for the period of the journey.

2. A Court trying any contravention of this Order, may without prejudice to any other sentence which it may pass direct that any of the commodities together with the packages and the coverings thereof and carts and other means of conveyance including animals used in the

removal of the essential commodities, in respect of which it is satisfied that a contravention has occurred, shall be forfeited to His Majesty.

By Order,
K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 28th April 1947

No. 49-FS/47(ii).—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject and in exercise of the powers delegated to him in Government of India, Department of Works Mines and Power, Notification No. P-110-(1), dated the 12th December 1946, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946), to prohibit the transport of *Kerosene oil* from any part of British Baluchistan to any other Province in British India or to an Indian State, except under a permit to be issued by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan, or by an officer authorised by him in this behalf and on payment of such fees as may be prescribed from time to time by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

2. A Court trying any contravention of this Order, may without prejudice to any other sentence which it may pass, direct that kerosene oil, together with packages and containers, carts and other means of conveyance including animals used in removal of the commodity, in respect of which it is satisfied that a contravention has occurred, shall be forfeited to His Majesty.

By Order,
K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 28th April 1947

No. 49-FS/47(iii).—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (No. XXIV of 1946) and delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Works Mines and Power, Notification No. P-110(1), dated the 12th December 1946, the Chief Commissioner with the concurrence of the Central Government is pleased to prohibit the transport of *Kerosene oil* from one District of British Baluchistan to another in these areas or to any other District of Leased Areas or Tribal Areas, except under a permit to be issued by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan or by an Officer authorised by him in this behalf and on payment of such fees as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

2. A Court trying any contravention of this Order, may without prejudice to any other sentence which it may pass, direct that kerosene oil, together with packages and containers, carts and other means of conveyance including animals used in removal of the commodity, in

respect of which it is satisfied that a contravention has occurred, shall be forfeited to His Majesty.

By Order,
K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN

NOTIFICATION

Quetta, the 28th April 1947

No. 49-FS/47(iv).—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (No. XXIV of 1946) as in force in Baluchistan Tribal Areas and delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Works Mines and Power, Notification No. P-110-(1), dated the 12th December 1946, the Agent to the Governor General with the previous concurrence of the Central Government is pleased, to prohibit the transport of *Kerosene oil* from one District of Baluchistan Tribal Areas to an other in these areas or to any other District of British Baluchistan or Baluchistan Leased Areas, except under a permit to be issued by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan, or by an Officer authorised by him in this behalf and on payment of such fees as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

2. A Court trying any contravention of this Order, may without prejudice to any other sentence which it may pass, direct that kerosene oil, together with packages and containers, carts and other means of conveyance including animals used in removal of the commodity, in respect of which it is satisfied that a contravention has occurred, shall be forfeited to His Majesty.

By Order,
K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH BALUCHISTAN

NOTIFICATION

Quetta, the 28th April 1947

No. 97-FS/47(i).—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject and in exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food Notification No. PY-603(2)I, dated 21st October 1946, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan with the previous concurrence of the Central Government is pleased, under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946) to prohibit the transport of the following foodstuffs from one administrative District of British Baluchistan to another or to any District of Leased Areas or Tribal Areas in Baluchistan, except under a permit to be issued by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan, or by an officer authorised by him in this behalf and on payment of such fees as may be levied by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

Provided that this prohibition shall not apply to foodstuffs carried by a *bona-fide* traveller, as part of his luggage, for the personal use of himself and other members of his family for the period of journey :—

1. Sugar of all kinds.
2. Gur and Shakkar.
3. Every variety of coconut oil.
4. Ghee (Excluding Khurasani ghee).
5. Salt.
6. Pulses all kinds.
7. Wheat and wheat products (including atta, rawa and suji) but excluding bran.
8. Rice and rice products (excluding rice husk).
9. Gram and gram product (excluding gram husk).
10. Jowar.
11. Bajra.
12. Maize.
13. Barley.

2. A court trying any contravention of this order may, without prejudice to any other sentence which it may pass under section 7 of the said Act, direct that any of the foodstuffs together with the packages and the coverings thereof and carts and other means of conveyance including animals used in the removal of the essential commodities in respect of which it is satisfied that contravention has occurred, shall be forfeited to His Majesty.

By Order,

K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 28th April 1947

No. 97-FS/47(iv).—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject and in exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. FY-603(2)I, dated the 21st October 1946, with the previous concurrence of the Central Government, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased, under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946), to make the following order namely :—

1. (1) This order may be called the British Baluchistan Foodstuffs (Movement Control) Order, 1947.
- (2) It extends to the whole of British Baluchistan.
- (3) It shall come into force at once.

2. The Foodgrains (Movement Control) Order, 1945, is hereby cancelled.

Provided that anything done under any provisions of that Order shall be deemed to have been done under the corresponding provisions of this order.

3. In this order, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context—

(a) "Transport" means to take out of British Baluchistan to any other province in India or to an Indian State.

(b) "Director of Food Supplies" means the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

(c) "Foodstuffs" means any of the foodstuffs specified in the First Schedule to this Order.

4. (1) No person shall transport any foodstuff except under and in accordance with a permit to be issued in that behalf by the Director of Food Supplies or an Officer authorised by him in this behalf and on payment of such fees as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies.

Provided that nothing in this clause shall apply to the transport of foodstuffs—

(a) by a *bonafide* traveller as a part of his luggage and for the personal use of himself and members of his family for the period of journey ;

(b) under and in accordance with Military Credit Note.

Provided further that the Director of Food Supplies may by general or special order exempt from the provisions of this clause the transport of foodstuffs to such extent, in such manner, and for such periods as may be specified in the order.

(2) If it appears to the Director of Food Supplies or the Officer authorised under sub-clause (1) that a permit issued by him under that sub-clause is not likely to be utilised or that there are sufficient reasons requiring its cancellation, he may cancel the permit and on such cancellation the holder of the permit shall forthwith return it to the authority issuing it.

5. Applications for permits to transport foodstuffs during any calendar month shall be made in writing to the Director of Food Supplies not later than the fifteenth day of the preceding month and shall contain full and true particulars of the following :—

(i) Name of consignor.

(ii) Name of consignee.

(iii) Quantity and nature of the consignment.

(iv) Railway station of despatch (including district in which situated).

(v) Railway station of destination (including district and province in which situated).

(vi) Price at which the foodstuffs included in the consignment have been sold.

6. Where any foodstuffs are transported by rail in accordance with a permit issued by the Director of Food Supplies or any other authorised Officer the permit shall be returned by the consignor to the Director of Food Supplies on completion of despatch of the quantity there-in mentioned with the entries in respect of each consignment showing the quantity despatched and the date of despatch duly certified by the Station Master on the permit.

7. Where any foodstuffs are transported otherwise than by rail in accordance with a permit issued by the Director of Food Supplies or any other authorised Officer the permit shall be disposed of in accordance with such instructions as the Director of Food Supplies may indicate on the permit.

8. A Court trying any contravention of this Order, may without prejudice to any other sentence which it may pass direct that any foodstuffs together with the packages and coverings thereof and carts or other means of conveyance including animals used in removal of the foodstuffs in respect of which it is satisfied that a contravention has occurred shall be forfeited to His Majesty.

The first Schedule.

[See clause 3(c)].

1. Wheat and its products (excluding bran).
2. Paddy.
3. Rice and its products (excluding rice husk).
4. Jowar and its products.
5. Bajra and its products.
6. Gram and its products.
7. Barley and its products.
8. Maize and its products.
9. Pulses of all kinds.
10. Ghee.
11. Every variety of Coconut oil.
12. Eggs.

By Order,

K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE
GOVERNOR GENERAL IN BALUCHISTAN**

NOTIFICATION

Quetta, the 28th April 1947

No. 97-FS/47(v).—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (No. XXIV of 1946) as in force in the Baluchistan Tribal Areas, and delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. PY-603(2) I, dated 21st October 1946, the Agent to the Governor General in Baluchistan is pleased, to prohibit the transport of the following foodstuffs from one district of Tribal Area to another in these areas or to any other district of British Baluchistan or Leased Areas, except under a permit to be issued by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan, or by an Officer authorised by him in this behalf and on the payment of such fees as may be prescribed by the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan.

Provided that this prohibition shall not apply to the transport of such foodstuffs, by a *bona fide* traveller, as a part of his luggage

for the personal use of himself and other members of his family for the period of the journey :—

1. Sugar of all kinds.
2. Gur and Shakkar.
3. Every variety of coconut oil.
4. Ghee (excluding Khurasai Ghee).
5. Salt.
6. Pulses of all kinds.
7. Wheat and wheat products (including atta, rawa and suji) excluding bran.
8. Rice and rice products (excluding rice husk).
9. Gram and gram products (excluding gram husk).
10. Jowar.
11. Bajra.
12. Maize.
13. Barley.

2. A Court trying any contravention of this Order may, without prejudice to any other sentence which it may pass under section 7 of the said Act, direct that any of these foodstuffs together with the packages and the coverings thereof and carts and other means of conveyance including animals used in the removal of the essential commodities in respect of which it is satisfied that contravention has occurred, shall be forfeited to HIS MAJESTY.

By Order,

K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary

**THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF BRITISH
BALUCHISTAN**

NOTIFICATION

Quetta, the 23rd May 1947

No. 460-FS/47(I).—In exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India Department of Food, Notification No. PY-603(2) I, dated the 21st October, 1946, with the previous concurrence of the Central Government and in supersession of his Order No. 460-FS/46, dated 1st May, 1946, the Chief Commissioner is pleased, under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946) to direct that, with immediate effect, no person or persons acting as Host(s) shall, except with the specific permission of the Chief Commissioner, distribute or cause to be distributed, any eatable to more than 25 persons including the host(s) for any one party or in any one connection on any single day, provided that nothing contained in this notification shall apply to charitable distribution of food to the poor.

By Order,

K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 23rd May 1947

No. 460-FS/47(II).—In exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. PY-603(2) I, dated the 21st October, 1946, with the previous concurrence of the Central Government and in supersession of his Order No. 460-FS/46, dated the 3rd July, 1946, the Chief Commissioner is pleased, under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946) to order that in cases where more than twenty persons are to be served with eatables a notice shall be given to the District Ration Officer both by the caterer and the host specifying the nature of the function.

2. For the purpose of this Notification the caterer shall include the person incharge of a hotel, restaurant, eating house, cafe, tea shop, coffee stall, free feeding centres and any other place of refreshment open to the public, club, boarding house, canteen, Railway refreshment room, or restaurant and other similar establishments

By Order,
K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 23rd May 1947

No. 685-FS/47-II.—In exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. PY-603 (2) I, dated the 21st October, 1946, with the previous concurrence of the Central Government and in supersession of his Order No. 685-FS/46, dated the 22nd July 1946, the Chief Commissioner is pleased, under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946) as applied to British Baluchistan by virtue of the Government of India, External Affairs Department, Notification No. 41-BPG, dated the 28th November, 1946, to prohibit, with immediate effect, the separation of cream from milk for public sale as cream, butter, or in any other form except under a license to be issued by the District Magistrate subject to such conditions as the District Magistrate may prescribe in regard to the quantities to be separated daily, the manner in which, and the persons to whom, the cream, butter and the skimmed milk shall be sold and the hours during which the apparatus for separating cream shall work. The District Magistrate may also prescribe the forms in which the licensee shall maintain his accounts.

By Order,
K. SHAH ZAMAN,
Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 8th May 1947

No. 131-FS/47(I).—In exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. PY-603 (2), dated the 21st October 1946, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946, (XXIV of 1946) and in supersession of his Notification

No. 131-FS/47(VII), dated 20th February 1947 to order that rupees eight and annas ten shall be the statutory maximum price per maund of unbagged wheat of fair average quality above which it will be illegal to buy or sell the said foodstuff in the primary wholesale markets. This rate shall remain in force for twelve months from the date of this Order.

By Order,
B. M. BACON,
Secretary.

Quetta, the 8th May 1947

No. 131-FS/47(ii).—In exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. PY-603 (2), dated the 21st October 1946, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946, (XXIV of 1946) and in supersession of his Notification No. 131-FS/47(V), dated the 20th February 1947, to order that rupees six and annas twelve shall be the statutory maximum price, per maund of unbagged gram of fair average quality above which it will be illegal to buy or sell the said foodstuff in the primary wholesale markets. This rate shall remain in force for twelve months from the date of this Order.

By Order,
B. M. BACON,
Secretary.

Quetta, the 8th May 1947

No. 131-FS/47(iii).—In exercise of the powers delegated to him in the Government of India, Department of Food, Notification No. PY-603 (2), dated the 21st October 1946, the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased, under section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946, (XXIV of 1946) and in supersession of his Notification No. 131-FS/47 (VIII), dated 20th February 1947 to order that Rupees five annas eight shall be the statutory maximum price, per maund of unbagged barley of fair average quality above which it will be illegal to buy or sell the said foodstuff in the primary wholesale markets. This rate shall remain in force for twelve months from the date of this Order.

By Order,
B. M. BACON,
Secretary.

Quetta, the 27th May 1947

No. 549/10-46/PTC.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 44(1) and 68(a) (b) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1939, (Act IV of 1939) the Chief Commissioner of British Baluchistan is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in his notification No. 909/10-46/PTC, dated the 16th August,

1946, published in the Gazette of India, Part II-A, dated the 31st August, 1946 :—

Substitute the following for Rule 4.1(i) (ii) :—

4.1 (i) (ii) " The Provincial Government may nominate any number of non-official members to represent Public interest as it thinks fit "

In Rule 4.1(i) (iii) Substitute " Any number of officials " for the words " Three officials " and " one of these official members " for the words " one of the three official members ".

In rule 4.1(2) delete the word " Three " wherever it occurs.

In rule 4.1(3) Substitute " The non-official members " for the words " The three official members ".

In Rule 4.2(3) substitute " 3/5th of the members " for the words " four members ".

By Order,

B. M. BACON,

*Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of
British Baluchistan.*

**THE HON'BLE THE AGENT TO THE
GOVERNOR GENERAL RESIDENT AND
CHIEF COMMISSIONER IN BALUCH-
ISTAN.**

NOTIFICATIONS

Quetta, the 27th May, 1947

No. 669-FS/45.—M. Saleh Mohd. Khan, officiating Tahsildar IV Grade, was appointed to officiate with effect from the forenoon of 28th April, 1947 as Assistant Director of Food Supplies (General) under the orders of the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan on the Provincial service time scale of pay.

By Order,

K. SHAH ZAMAN,

Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 27th May, 1947

No. 1716.—M. Sultan Mohammad Niazi, officiating Tahsildar IV grade and officiating Assistant Ration Officer, Fuel and Permits Quetta-Pishin, was appointed to officiate with effect from the forenoon of 18th April, 1947, as Assistant Director of Food Supplies under the orders of the Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan on the Provincial service time scale of pay.

By Order,

K. SHAH ZAMAN,

Deputy Secretary.

Quetta, the 28th May, 1947.

No. 852-FS/47.—Rai Sahib Pandit Chiranjiv Lal was appointed with effect from the 18th April, 1947 as Deputy Director of Food Supplies in Baluchistan, a temporary post in the

Baluchistan Provincial Civil Service sanctioned in Agent to the Governor General's order No. 852-FS/47 dated the 22nd May, 1947.

By order,

B. M. BACON,

*Secretary to the Agent to the
Governor General in Baluchistan.*

Quetta, the 28th May 1947.

No. 9110/M/IX.J.5.—The following additions and amendments should be made in the Gazette Notifications stated below :—

1. No. 7361/M, dated 29-4-47.

Add " KUMAON Regt attached Zhob Militia " after the words " 627 A.I. T/Major, D. Hemming ".

2. No. 7356/M, dated 29-4-47.

Read " T/Capt " for " Capt " appearing before the words " M. I. Bonfield ".

By order etc.

R. D. AMBROSE,

Secretary, Frontier Corps, NWF.

Quetta, the 29th May, 1947.

No. AE-45(47).—Khan Ghulam Haider Khan Substantive Extra Assistant Commissioner in Baluchistan was granted one month and 29 days leave on average pay on medical grounds, with effect from the 1st April, 1947 forenoon, which has been extended by leave on average pay upto 6th July, 1947.

By order,

BASHIR AHMED,

Under Secretary.

**ORDERS BY THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,
AJMER-MERWARA.**

NOTIFICATIONS.

Ajmer, the 22nd May, 1947.

No. H-1822.—In partial modification of the orders contained in this Administration Notification No. H-1184, dated the 26th March, 1947 the Chief Commissioner is pleased to order with the concurrence of the Central Government that the Farm Superintendents, Agricultural Assistants and Store Keepers of the Agricultural Department, Ajmer Merwara, may also purchase wheat for seed purposes upto an extent of 15,000 maunds from any producer or stockist of foodgrains in the Province of Ajmer-Merwara.

By order,

B. C. KAPUR,

*Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara.*

Ajmer, the 26th May, 1947

No. A/25-1-IV.—The Chief Commissioner is pleased to approve of the Mining Syndicate, Ajmer as a candidate for a licence to prospect and mine for minerals unconnected with gems in the District of Ajmer-Merwara.

2. This Certificate of Approval is valid upto midnight of the 31st December 1947.

By order,

B. C. KAPUR,

*Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara.*

Ajmer, the 26th May, 1947

No. A/25-1-IV.—It is hereby certified that the Certificate of Approval granted to Mr. F. C. Framji of Nasirabad in this Administration Notification No. 2167/A.F.173/37, dated the 25th October 1941, has been renewed with effect from the 1st January 1947.

2. This renewed Certificate of Approval will remain in force upto midnight of the 31st December 1947.

By order,

B. C. KAPUR,

*Secretary, to the Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara*

Ajmer, the 26th May, 1947

No. A/25-1-IV.—It is hereby certified that the certificate of Approval granted to Mr. Vishnu Chandra, Proprietor, Chandra Stores Ajmer, in this Administration notification, No. A/25-1-III dated the 3rd September 1946, has been renewed with effect from the 1st January 1947.

2. This renewed Certificate of Approval will remain in force upto mid-night of the 31st December 1947.

By order,

B. C. KAPUR,

*Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara.*

Ajmer, the 26th May, 1947

No. A/25-1-IV.—The Chief Commissioner is pleased to approve of Mr. Amba Lal, Proprietor, Raja Cycle & Motor Garage, Ajmer, as a candidate for a licence to prospect and mine for minerals unconnected with gems in the District of Ajmer-Merwara.

2. This Certificate of Approval is valid upto midnight of the 31st December 1947.

By order,

B. C. KAPUR,

*Secretary, to the Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara*

Ajmer, the 26th May, 1947

No. A/25-1-IV.—The Chief Commissioner is pleased to approve of M/S.R.V. Durlabbji, Johri Bazar, Jaipur, as a candidate for a licence to prospect and mine for minerals in the District of Ajmer-Merwara.

2. This Certificate of Approval is valid upto midnight of the 31st December 1947.

By order,

B. C. KAPUR,

*Secretary, to the Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara.*

Ajmer, the 26th May, 1947

No. F/22-3-IV(00).—The following draft of an addendum which it is proposed to make to the Ajmer-Merwara Motor Vehicles Rules, 1940, published with this Administration notification No. 1141/34-W/38-III, dated the 12th June 1940, is published for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby.

Notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration on or after 23rd June 1947 and that any objection or suggestion which may be received from any persons with respect thereto before the aforesaid date will be considered by this Administration.

DRAFT ADDENDUM.

After Chapter VII—Producer gas for Motor Vehicles—of the Ajmer Merwara Motor Vehicles Rules 1940, the following Chapter shall be inserted namely :—

Chapter VIII—Insurance of Motor Vehicles against Third Party Risks.

8.1. A policy of insurance in respect of a motor vehicle shall not be deemed to comply with the requirements of Chapter VIII of the Act unless it covers any liability arising under the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act 1923 in respect of the death of or bodily injury to, any paid employee engaged in driving or otherwise in attendance on, or being carried in, that motor vehicle.

8.2. An insurer required under section 105 of the Act to notify the cancellation or suspension of a policy of insurance shall notify such cancellation or suspension to the Registering Authority having jurisdiction where the owner of the vehicle covered by the policy of insurance normally resided or has his place of business.

8.3. The owner of a motor vehicle applying to pay tax on the vehicle shall forward with the application a certificate of insurance relating to the vehicle and complying with the requirements of Chapter VIII of the Act and valid—

(a) if the application is made prior to the commencement of the period for which tax is tendered, on the first day of that period ; or

(b) if the application is made during the period for which the tax is tendered, on the date on which the application is made.

Provided that the owner of a vehicle exempted under sub-section (2) of section 94 of the Act shall forward in place of the certificate of

insurance the certificate prescribed in rule 12 of the Motor Vehicles (Third Party Insurance) Rule 1946.

8.4. A co-operative society of public service vehicle owners allowed by the Provincial Government under sub-section (1) of section 108 of the Act to transact the business of an insurer shall lodge the fund referred to in clause (a) of that sub-section in the custody of the Imperial Bank of India at Ajmer Branch.

By order,

B. C. KAPUR,

Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara.

Ajmer, the 28th May 1947

No. A/21-3-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, (V of 1898) as adapted by the Government of India (Adaptation of Indian Laws) Order, 1937 read with the Government of India, Home Department Notification, No. F.126/37-Public, dated the 1st April 1937, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen as Honorary Magistrates and to invest them with the ordinary powers of Magistrate of the 1st Class to be exercised within the district of Ajmer-Merwara for a period of one year with effect from the 20th May, 1947 :—

1. Rai Bahadur M. Kishen Lal.

2. R. S. Brahma Dutt Bhargava, B.A., LL.B.,

3. K. B. Syed Abdul Wahid, M.A.

2. The Chief Commissioner is further pleased in exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898) as adapted by the Government of India (Adaptation of Indian Laws) Order, 1937, read with the Government of India Home Department Notification No. F.126/37-Public dated the 1st April 1937 to appoint the following gentlemen as Honorary Magistrates and to confer on them all the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class for a period of one year with effect from the 20th May, 1947 to be exercised within the Ajmer Municipal Area :—

1. Mr. Som Dutta Bhargava, B.Sc., LL.B.,

2. Mr. S. O. Nath,

3. Mr. Ratan Lal Dani, B.A., LL.B.,

4. Mr. Bal Swarup Agarwal, B.A.,

5. Dr. M. L. Bhattacharya, M.B.,

6. Mr. Dattatraya Vable M.A., LL.B.,

All Magisterial powers conferred under any section of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898 (V of 1898) on any person excepting the Magistrates noted below, in the said area by any previous notification and not hereby specially continued, are withdrawn with effect from the 20th May, 1947 under sub-section (1) of section 41 of the said Code :—

(i) Stipendiary Magistrates.

(ii) The Honorary Magistrate appointed to try cases under the Prevention of Cruelty to

Animals Act, 1890 (XI of 1890) by the Chief Commissioner's Notification No. A/21-6, dated the 3rd January 1947.

(iii) Supernumerary Honorary Magistrates appointed by the Chief Commissioner in his notification No. A/21-3-II, dated the 6th June 1942 and 10th June 1944.

3. The Chief Commissioner is further pleased to direct that all the above Honorary Magistrates of the 2nd Class shall sit singly during such period and on such days of the year as may be allotted by the District Magistrate and shall exercise the powers specified in Part II of Schedule III of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898 (V of 1898) as the ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class and also the following additional powers :—

(i) to take cognizance of offences upon complaints (Section 190(i) (a) of the Criminal Procedure Code).

(ii) power to take cognizance upon Police reports (Section 190(i) (b) Criminal Procedure Code).

(iii) power to make orders prohibiting the repetition of nuisances (Section 143, Criminal Procedure Code.)

(iv) power to make orders as to first offenders (Section 562 Criminal Procedure Code.)

4. The Chief Commissioner is also pleased to direct that of the above Honorary Magistrates of the 2nd Class, the Magistrates named below shall try cases triable by the Magistrates of the 2nd and 3rd Class under the Ajmer-Merwara Municipalities Regulation, 1925 (VI of 1925) or any rule or bye-law thereunder, or under the Hackney Carriage Act 1879 (XIV of 1879), or any rule made thereunder or any other act or rule made thereunder, in which provision is made for the credit to the Ajmer Municipal Fund of all fines of other sums recovered from persons convicted of offences committed within the Ajmer Municipality under any of the said enactments or rules or under section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861) in such month or months of the year as the District Magistrate from time to time may direct :—

1. Mr. Dattatraya Vable.

2. Mr. Ratan Lal Dani.

3. Dr. M. L. Bhattacharya M.B.

By order,

B. C. KAPUR.

Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Ajmer-Merwara.

**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER AND
COLLECTOR, AJMER-MERWARA**

ORDER No. 55.

Ajmer, the 24th May 1947

The certificate of approval to prospect and mine for minerals unconnected with gems in the province of Ajmer-Merwara granted to L. Panchoo Lal S/o L. Chand Mal of Sanod by the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, in his

notification No. A/25-1-II, dated the 17th March, 1943, is hereby renewed for the year 1947.

L. ALDRED,

*Deputy Commissioner and Collector,
Ajmer-Merwara.*

**OFFICE OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER,
DELHI PROVINCE, DELHI.**

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 24th May, 1947.

No. F.6(4)/47.C.S.—Mr. S. K. Srivastava, Deputy Director of Purchase (Disposals) in the Department of Food, Division III has been appointed as Deputy Director of Civil Supplies (Food), Delhi, under the Director of Rationing & Civil Supplies, Delhi, with effect from the forenoon of the 14th April, 1947.

By order,

K. RAM,

*Secretary (Rationing & Civil Supplies),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 24th May, 1947.

No. F.8(18)/47.Home.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 19 of the Indian Press (Emergency Powers) Act, 1931, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi hereby declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies wherever found of the book in English entitled "Rape of Rawalpindi" compiled by Mr. Prabodh Chandra, Secretary the Punjab Riot Sufferers' Relief Committee, Lahore, and printed at the National Printing Works, Mori Gate, Delhi and all other documents containing extracts from the aforesaid book in as much as it contains matter of the nature described in clause (h) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the said Act.

By order,

W. CHRISTIE,

Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

Delhi, the 26th May, 1947.

No. F.I(53)/47-L.S.G.(I).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of section 6 of the Punjab Land Revenue Act 1887 the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Rao Bahadur Chaudhry Ghasi Ram, P.C.S. to be an Assistant Collector of the 1st Grade.

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary (Local Self Government),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 26th May, 1947.

No. F.I(53)/47-L.S.G.(II).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (I) of section 15 of the North West Provinces and Oudh Land Revenue Act 1901 the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Rao Bahadur Chaudhry

Ghasi Ram, P.C.S., to be an Assistant Collector of the first grade.

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary (Local Self Government),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 26th May, 1947.

No. F.I(53)/47-L.S.G.(III).—In pursuance of clause (c) of section 3 of the Land Acquisition Act 1894 the Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Rao Bahadur Chaudhry Ghasi Ram, P.C.S., to perform the functions of a Collector under the said Act.

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary (Local Self Government),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 26th May, 1947.

No. F.182/45-47/Finance.—Pt. Din Dayal Sharma, P.C.S., relinquished charge of the Treasury Officer, Delhi, on the afternoon of the 22nd March, 1947. He will continue to be a Magistrate of the 1st Class, Delhi.

By order,

J. F. RAY,

*Home Secretary,
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 27th May, 1947.

No. F.5(42)/46-B.&J.—Under the provisions of section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898, Sardar Harjinder Singh Dhullen, Punjab Civil Service, is appointed a magistrate of the first class in the Delhi District with effect from the 14th May 1947, relieving Pandit Din Dayal Sharma, whose services are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

By order,

J. P. RAY,

*Home Secretary,
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 27th May, 1947.

No. F.6(16)/46-C.S.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 40 of the Punjab Laws Act 1872, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to confer on Mr. Bhagwant Kishore Price Control Sub-Inspector of the Delhi Civil Supplies Organisation, all the powers which may be exercised by a police officer to arrest without warrant any person who is reasonably suspected of having committed, or being about to commit any offence under the Cotton Cloth and Yarn (Control) Order 1945, or any other order made under the Defence of India Rules which continues to be in force by virtue of section 17 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act 1946 or is hereafter made in exercise of powers conferred by the said Act.

The powers conferred on Sub-Inspectors B. C. Nayar and A. N. Bahadur in this office notification No. F. 6(16)/46-C.S. dated the 16th May 1946 are withdrawn.

By order,

K. RAM,

*Secretary (Rationing & Civil Supplies),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 27th May, 1947.

No. F.12(26)/46-C.S.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-clause (1) of clause 2 of the Delhi Cloth Rationing Order, 1945, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to direct that the six months from 1st June, 1947 shall be the "rationing period" as contemplated by that clause, in the areas in which the Delhi Cloth Rationing Order, 1945, is in force.

By order,

K. RAM,

*Secretary (Rationing & Civil Supplies),
to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.*

Delhi, the 27th May, 1947.

No. F.12(38)/47-HPW.—The following draft of rules which the Chief Commissioner of Delhi proposes to make in exercise of the power conferred by sections 21 and 41 of the Motor Vehicles Act 1939, read with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Communications No. R60 dated the 28th June 1939, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st July 1947 together with any objection or suggestion which may be received by the Chief Commissioner from any person with respect to it before the date specified.

Draft Rules.

1. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Delhi Motor Vehicles Rules 1940 no fee shall be charged for the issue or alteration of certificates of registration relating to Motor Vehicles which are the property of the Canadian High Commissioner in India and other Officers of the Canadian Mission.

2. If the Canadian High Commissioner in India and other officers of the Canadian Mission have paid or shall hereafter pay a fee for the issue or renewal of a licence to drive a Motor Vehicle or for undergoing a test of competency to drive the fee shall on his application be refunded to him.

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary (Local Self Government),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 27th May, 1947

No. F.12(56)/46-HPW.—The following draft of amendment which the Chief Commissioner of Delhi proposes to make in the Delhi Motor

Vehicles Rules, 1940, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 41 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1939, read with the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Communications No. R.60 dated the 28th June, 1939, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby. The draft will be taken into consideration on after 30th June, 1947, together with any objections which may be received in respect of it before that date.

Draft amendment.

For clause (a) of sub-rule (1) of rule 3.10 the following shall be substituted.

(a) An officer deputed for the purpose by the District Magistrate, and

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary (Local Self Government),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 27th May, 1947.

No. F.12(59)/46-HPW.—Mr. Puran Chand Gupta, Chief Inspector, Petrol Rationing, took over charge of the post of Area Rationing Authority with effect from the afternoon of the 19th May, 1947, in place of Mr. O. S. Pereira granted leave for six weeks.

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary (Local Self Government),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 28th May 1947.

No. F.13(28)/46/L.S.G. IV.—The following draft of an amendment which the Chief Commissioner of Delhi proposes to make, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 55 of the Punjab District Boards Act 1883 as extended to the Delhi Province, in the District Board Election Rules 1932, being the rules published with this Administration's Notification No. B4-(72) 32 Edn, dated the 29th June, 1932, is published for the information of the persons likely to be effected thereby. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th June, 1947 together with any objections or suggestions which may be received from any person in connection therewith, before that date.

Draft amendment.

The following shall be added as sub rule 4 after sub rule 3 of rule 60 of the District Board Election Rules 1932 :—

" 60(4)—The report or order, of the Commission under sub rule (2) or sub rule (3) shall contain a definite finding regarding the amount of costs that should in the opinion of the commission be allowed and the party or parties by whom and to whom such costs shall be paid "

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary (Local Self Government),
to the Chief Commissioner Delhi.*

Delhi, the 29th May 1947.

No. F.3(33)|47-R.&J.—The following is published for information :—

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT LAHORE

NOTIFICATION.

No. 117-Gaz|XXI.C.6., Delhi, the 23rd May 1947.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 39(3) of the Punjab Courts Acts, 1918, as amended by Act IX of 1922, and extended to the Delhi Province by Government of India Notification No. 683, dated the 13th August, 1918, the Honourable the Chief Justice and Judges of the High Court of Judicature at Lahore are pleased to direct that within the limits of the Delhi Province and with effect from the date of this notification appeals lying to the District Court from decrees or orders passed by any Subordinate Judge—

(a) in a small cause of value not exceeding Rs. 1,000.

(b) in a land suit of a value not exceeding Rs. 250, and

(c) in an unclassified suit of a value not exceeding Rs. 500.

shall be preferred to Ch. Muhammad Abdur Rahman, Subordinate Judge of the first class exercising jurisdiction within that province.

2. It is further directed that the Court of such Subordinate Judge of the first class at Delhi shall be deemed to be a District Court for the purpose of all such appeals preferred to it.

By order of the Chief Justice and Judges,

S. N. HAKSAR,

Registrar.

By order.

J. P. RAY,

Home Secretary,

to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

Delhi, the 29th May 1947

No. F. 11(37)|46-LSG.I.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-section (1) of Section 11 of the Punjab District Boards Act, 1883, as extended to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to fix the number of members of the Delhi District Board as twenty as follows :—

To be appointed by name	5
To be appointed by official designation	3
To be elected	12
Total	20

This Administration notification No. F.17(9)|40(1)-LSG dated the 9th March 1940 is hereby cancelled.

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
(Local Self Government) Delhi.*

Delhi, the 29th May 1947.

No. F.11(37)|46-LSG.II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 14-A of the Punjab District Boards Act, 1883, as extended to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to direct that the Deputy Commissioner of Delhi who was appointed a member of the District Board Delhi under notification No. F.13(9)|46-LG. dated the 9th March 1946 shall cease to be a member of the said Board from the date of this notification.

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
(Local Self Government) Delhi.*

Delhi, the 29th May 1947.

No. F.11(37)|46-LSG.III.—In accordance with the provisions of Sub Section (1) of Section 18 of the Punjab District Boards Act, 1883, as extended to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to notify that Ch. Kishan Chand B.A., LL.B., an Advocate of Delhi, has been elected chairman of the District Board of Delhi. He shall hold office till the next elections to the District Board.

By order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
(Local Self Government) Delhi.*

Delhi, the 30th May 1947

No. F. 6(4)|46-C.S.—Mr. S. N. Aga, M.B.E., relinquished charge of the office of Additional Superintendent of Police (Enforcement), Delhi, on the afternoon of the 17th May, 1947, from which date his services have been placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces.

By Order,

K. RAM,

*Secretary (Rationing and Civil Supplies)
to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.*

Delhi, the 30th May 1947

No. F. 15(31)|47-L.S.G.—Mrs. I. H. Kumar, Assistant Superintendent of Female Education, Delhi Province has been granted rest and recreation leave with effect from the afternoon of the 17th May, 1947 to the 15th July 1947.

By Order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary (Local Self-Government)
to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.*

Delhi the 31st May 1947

No. F. 3(33)|47-R. & J.—Sheikh Maqbul Ahmad, relinquished charge of the office of Senior Subordinate Judge, Delhi, with effect from the afternoon of the 17th May 1947, from which date his services are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

No. F. 3(33)47-R. & J.—Chaudhary Muhammad Abdur Rahman relinquished charge of the office of Judge Small Cause Court, Delhi and assumed charge of the office of Senior Subordinate Judge, Delhi on the afternoon of the 17th May 1947.

No. F. 3(33)47-R. & J.—Lala Kirpa Ram assumed charge of the office of Subordinate Judge, first class, Delhi on the forenoon of the 21st May 1947.

No. F. 3(33)47-R. & J.—Lala Gulal Chand Jain assumed charge of the office of the Subordinate Judge, first class, Delhi on the afternoon of the 20th May 1947.

By Order,

J. P. RAY,

*Home Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Delhi.*

Delhi, the 31st May 1947

No. F. 3(33)47-R. & J.—The following is published for information :—

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT LAHORE

NOTIFICATION

No. 113-Gaz|XXI-E-5., the 22nd May 1947.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 255(3) of the Government of India Act, 1935, read with Section 6 of the Provincial Small Causes Courts Act, 1887, as amended by the Government of India (Adaptation of Indian Laws) Order, 1937, the Honourable the Chief Justice and the Judges of the High Court of Judicature at Lahore are pleased to appoint, and hereby appoint, Sh. Masud Ahmad, Subordinate Judge, to be the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Delhi, with effect from the date he assumes charge of his duties at Delhi.

2. High Court Notification No. 88-Gaz|XXI-E.5, dated the 11th May 1945, appointing Ch. Muhammad Abdur Rahman as Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Delhi, is hereby cancelled from the date he relinquishes charge of that post.

By Order of the Chief Justice & Judges,

S. N. HAKSAR,

Registrar

By Order,

J. P. RAY,

*Home Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Delhi.*

Delhi, the 31st May 1947

No. F. 3(33)47-R. & J.—The following is published for information :—

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT LAHORE

NOTIFICATION

No. 114-Gaz|VI-J-140, the 22nd May 1947.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 255(3) of the Government of India Act, 1935, read with Section 31 of the Provincial Small Causes Courts Act, 1887, as amended by the Government of India (Adaptation of

Indian Laws) Order, 1937, the Honourable the Chief Justice and Judges are pleased to post Sheikh Masud Ahmad, who has been appointed by High Court notification No. 113-Gaz|XXI-E.5, dated the 22nd May 1947, to be the Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Delhi, to be also a Subordinate Judge of the First Class at Delhi.

By Order of the Chief Justice and Judges,

S. N. HAKSAR,

Registrar.

No. 115-Gaz|VI-J-140., the 22nd May 1947.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 4-A of the Guardians and Wards Act, 1890, as amended by Act IV of 1926, the Honourable the Chief Justice and the Judges of the High Court of Judicature at Lahore hereby empower Sheikh Masud Ahmad, a Subordinate Judge of the First Class at Delhi, to dispose of any proceedings under the Guardians and Wards Act, 1890, transferred to him by the District Judge of that District from the date of this notification.

2. These powers conferred on Ch. Muhammad Abdur Rahman by High Court Notification No. 132-Gaz|VI-J-131, dated the 11th June, 1945, are hereby withdrawn from the same date.

By Order of the Chief Justice and Judges,

S. N. HAKSAR,

Registrar.

By Order,

J. P. RAY,

*Home Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Delhi.*

Delhi, the 31st May 1947

No. F. 11(40)47-L.S.G.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 71 of the Punjab Municipal Act 1911, as extended to the Delhi Province, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to exempt all wines and other alcoholic liquor imported by the High Commissioner for Canada in India, his family and staff, from payment of any terminal tax imposed by any Municipal Committee or Notified Area Committee in the Delhi Province.

By Order,

RATAN LAL,

Secretary (Local Self-Government)

to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

Delhi, the 31st May 1947

No. F. 12(26)46-C.S.—In pursuance of clause 17 of the Delhi Cloth Rationing Order 1945, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to notify that the unit of a cloth ration permit shall, with effect from the 1st June 1947, be equivalent to 3¼ (three quarters) yard.

By Order,

K. RAM,

Secretary (Rationing and Civil Supplies)

to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.

Delhi, the 31st May 1947

No. F. 21(14)46-47-C.S.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act 1946, (Act No. XXIV of 1946) read with Government of India, Department of Food Notification No. P.Y. 603(2)-1, dated the 21st October, 1946, and with the prior approval of the Government of India, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi is pleased to direct that with immediate effect this office Notification No. F. 21(14)46-C.S., dated the 4th July, 1946 shall cease to apply to the manufacture for sale of *Misri*.

By Order,

K. RAM,

*Secretary (Rationing and Civil Supplies)
to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi.*

Delhi, the 2nd June 1947

No. F. 3(33)47-R. & J.—Sheikh Masud Ahmad assumed charge of the office of Judge, Small Cause Court, Delhi, on the forenoon of the 23rd May 1947.

No. F. 3(33)47-R. & J.—Lala Tara Chand Gupta relinquished charge of the office of Subordinate Judge, First Class, Delhi, on the afternoon of the 17th May 1947, from which date his services are replaced at disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

By Order,

J. P. RAY,

*Home Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
Delhi.*

Delhi, the 2nd June 1947

No. F. 7(140)46-H.P.W.—Dr. J. N. Vasudeva, P.M.S., House Surgeon, Hindu Rao Hospital, Delhi assumed Collateral Charge of the Office of Assistant to the Civil Surgeon, Delhi

with effect from the afternoon of 24th March 1947, relieving Dr. Ghulam Haider, P.C.M.S., reverted to the Punjab with effect from the same date.

By Order,

RATAN LAL,

*Secretary to the Chief Commissioner,
(Local Self Government), Delhi.*

**IN THE COURT OF CH. M. A. RAHMAN,
P.O.S., JUDGE, INSOLVENCY COURT,
DELHI.**

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION

(Section 27, Act V, 1920).

Insolvency Petition No. 11 of 1946.

Jit Lal s/o L. Ledha Ram by caste Khatzi residing at Hannumaran Road, New Delhi—

____ Petitioner, Insolvent.

Against.

The Creditors —

Respondent Creditors.

Pursuant to a petition, dated 7th November 1946, against (a) The Governor General in Council etc. (Respondent Creditors.) and on the application of (b) Jit Lal. (Petitioner-Insolvent) and on reading the petition and hearing the same it is ordered that the debtor be, and the said debtor is hereby, adjudged insolvent and it is directed that he do apply for his discharge on or before 9th October 1947 from this day and Official Receiver to submit his report on 22nd May 1947.

Dated this 17th day of May 1947.

M. A. RAHMAN,

*Judge,
Insolvency Court, Delhi.*

